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LOCAL BRIEFS.

-The Jubilee Singers to-night. ---- Warch-like winds are on the how! --- This, too, is St. Valentine's

--- Attention is directed to the new advertisement of Messrs. M. T. Norris -The Washington gentleman who

does the weather feature of the nation. prophecies rain for to-day. --- Bishop Atkinson will preach in Christ Church next Sunday morning

and in the Church of the Good Shepherd on the evening of the same day. -The tax collector of Pender county, is in the city, it is supposed for the purpose of settling his taxes. The Legislature extended his time and he

t was the clerk of the Superior Court of Dare county, and not Davie who sent 15 cents to the State Treasurer, as the amount of the fines and for-

got behind even this. He is the last

feitures collected by him last year. ---The book-stores were crowded. yesterday, with sentimental boobies who were selecting naked angels to send to their goddesses, and by sneaking fellows who were searching for the most horrible caricatures with which to ampoon enemies whom they feared to approach openly.

The Lenten Season.

Yesterday was Shrove Tuesday, which always immediately precedes Lent, and to-day, is Ash Wednesday, which ushers in the solemn Lenten season. As is known to all christian people, this season lasts for the space of forty days, and is observed in commemoration of the forty days during which our Lord and Saviour fasted on the mountain. scrupulousness by the Catholic, Episcopal and other churches in this country, and f during the time of its continuance, ser vices will be regularly held on week days in St. John's Catholic Church of this city, and also in Christ Church and the Church of the Good Shepherd, There will be mass in the Catholic Church this morning at 9 o'clock, and services in Christ Church and the Church of the Good Shepherd at 11 A. M., and at 5 P. M.

Lent is immediately followed by Easter Sunday, which commemorates the resurrection and ascension of our Redeemer, and is a day, as all know, which is celebrated with great pomp in all the cathedrals of the world.

Another Company Coming.

Tucker Hall has been engaged Friday and Saturday nights for a company from John T. Ford's Baltimore Theatre, of which M. V'B. Wachtell is business manager. No agent has yet arrived, but we are led to believe that the company is the one which is starred by Miss Mary Anderson, a charming young artiste, who has won fame in her profession. In a day or two we shall know more definitely, and will be able to give our readers further information as to

Agent Wanted.

In our notice, a few days ago, of the new book, "The Southern Side, or Andersonville Prison," we neglected to state that Mr. Thos. F. Drayton, Jr., is the State agent. He wishes to establish sub-agencies at different places in the State, and is especially desirous of engaging some live man to act as agent of the work in Raleigh. He will pay a liberal per centage, and an active man can make a good thing of it.

Arms Forwarded.

The Adjutant General has just forwarded to the Cleaveland Grays, 50 Springfield breech-leading rifles. This company was organized about three weeks ago, with B. F. Logan as cartain, and immediately made application for these arms, at the same time filing the necessary bond.

Commissioners Appointed.

His Excellency the Governor yesterday appointed W. A. Evans, of Bonham. Fanning corn y, Texas, and G. W. Montgomery, of Lawson, Gray county, Missouri, commissioners of affidavits for the State of North Car-

By reference to our new advertise ments, you will see that Messrs. A. C. Sanders & Co. still keep ahead in high grade fertilizers. The "National" Soluble Bone, for which they are agents, running as high as 39.32 per cent., Bone Phosphate, and 15.07 per cent., Phos phoric Acid. This very high grade article should be used by all farmers, and can be bought on good terms from the agents.

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CAROLINA.

SESSION OF 1876-17.

SENATE.

TUESDAY, Feb. 13. The Senate was called to order at 10 M., Mr. Robinson in the chair. Prayer by Rev. Dr. Vaughan, of the city.
The reading of the journal of yes-

terday was dispensed with. PETITIONS, &C.

By Mr. Stickney: A petition from itizens of Tarboro, asking the repeal of the tax on drummers. Committee on Finance. By Mr. Johnston: A petition from citizens of Madison county, asking pro-

hibitory liquor laws for certain locali-ties in that county. Committee of Propositions and Grievances. REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Reports were submitted from various standing committees all of which were appropriately referred. INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLU-

TIONS. By Mr. Caho: A bill to amend chapter 87. Battle's Revisal. Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

By Mr. York: A resolution of instruction to the committee on the State Debt. By Mr. Sandifer: A resolution creating a special committee to divide the State into judicial districts. Calendar. By Mr. Scales: A bill to amend the charter of the town of Reidsville. Com-

Bill to lay off a public roud in the

mittee on Judiciary.

counties of Davidson and Davie, was taken up and informally passed over. Bill to prohibit the sale of liquor ir any township where the people may so determine, was taken up, amended and passed its several readings. Bill to perfect titles to lands sold under decrees of courts of equity, was ta-

ken up and passed its readings. Bill to authorize the commissioners of Graham county to levy a special tax was taken up, read its third time and passed. Bill to authorize the commissioners of Swain county to levy a special tax to build a bridge across the Tuckasege river, was taken up, read its third time

and passed. Bill to levy a special tax in the county of Tyrrell, was taken up and passed. Bill to aid in the completion of the Cheraw & Salisbury Railroad, was ta-[Gives to the road 50 convicts to be

used until the 1st of April, 1878.] The bill passed its several readings.

SPECIAL ORDER. Bill to be entitled an act to regulate the practice of dentistry in North Case lina, came up as the special order. Makes it necessary for any one proposing to practice dentistry, to first get a license from the North Carolina Dental Association or a committee thereof, unless he holds a diploma from some

dental college.] Mr. Scales hoped that the bill would

Mr. Nicholson took the floor in opposition to it. He held that the bill was opposed to every principle of law and was unconstitutional in its character. He regarded the legislation asked for as unprecedented and he hoped the bill would not pass with the unusual powers now contained in it.

Mr. Sandifer favored the bill. He thought there was nothing unconstitutional in the bill, and saw many reasons why it should pass. Mr. Scales advocated in strong terms

the passage of the bill. It gave no exclusive powers, in his opinion, but is a measure of humanity which we should Mr. Nicholson raplied to Mr. Scales.

Mr. Robins next took the floor. spoke earnestly in behalf of the bill maintaining that the whole purpose of the bill was to protect the people from Mr. Troy offered an amendment pro-

viding that the State Dental Association shall have no authority to establish a scale of prices, which amendment was The bill passed its third and final

reading. RECONSIDERATIONS.

Upon motion of Mr. Stewart, the Senate reconsidered the vote by which it on yesterday, refused to pass the bill to extend the time for taking out land grants from the State.

Mr. Bingham offered an amendment

making the bill apply to the counties of Ashe, Alleghany, Watauga and Hay-Mr. Folk moved an amendment in

serting also the county of Caldwell.

The amendments were adopted. Mr. Robinson moved to strike out the amendments with a view to making the bill general, which motion was not

The motion recurred upon the bill on its third reading, and it did not pass. Mr. Folk moved that the Senate reconsider the vote by which it refused to pass the resolution to give the engrossing clerk of the House an assistant. He thought that to refuse this assistant would be a discourtesy to the House,

and on this ground he made the motion. Mr. Robinson hoped the motion to reconsider would prevail, and the motion being put the Senate reconsidered. Mr. Troy offered an amendment, proposing that the pay of said assistant should run from the 6th of February instead of from the 30th of December, as

A division was moved on the question to strike out, and on this the yeas and nays were demanded and ordered. The motion to strike out prevailed.

A motion to insert the 6th of February instead of the 30th of December. was put and adopted. Mr. Troy moved to make the pay said assistant \$3 per day, upon which Mr. Cunningham asked for the yeas and

nays, which were ordered, and the amendment did not prevail. The question recurred upon the pass. age of the resolution on its second reading, and it passed, and further passed its third reading.

Upon motion of Mr. Short, the rules were suppended and the Sanate took up and passed the bill to amend chap. 77, private laws of 1871- 72. On motion the Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, Feb. 13, 1877.

The House met at 10 o'clock A. M., and was called to order by Mr. Speaker Prayer by Rev. M. M. Marshall, D.

D., of the city. The journal of yesterday read and ap-

PETITIONS. Mr. King presented a petition from certain citizens of Stokes county in regard to Justices of the Peace issuing warrants. Committee on Propositions

and Grievances.

Mr. Shackelford presented a petition from certain citizens of Stump Sound township, Onslow county, in regard to the sale of liquor. Committee on Corporations and Grievances.

Mr. Parish presented a petition from certain citizens of Durham in regard to free trade. Committee on Finance. free trade. Committee on Finance.

Mr. Maddrey presented a petition from certain citizens of Murfreesboro, in regard to the sale of liquor. Committee on Propositions and Grievances.

Mr. McCubbins presented a number of petitions from citizens of Rowan and

Committee on Propositions and Griev-Mr. Moye presented a petition from citizens of Lenoir county in regard to the sale of liquor in certain localities. Propositions and Grievances.

Cabarrus counties, asking a stock law.

Mr. Purnell presented a petition from citizens of Wake, asking the incorpora-tion of the town of Forestville, Wake county. Committee on Corporations. Mr. Pinnix presented a petition from merchants of Lexington, asking the repeal of the purchase tax law. Commit-

ee on Finance. Mr. Fennell presented a petition from citizens of Pender county asking that the Legislature take no steps towards removing the county seat. Committee on Corporations.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Staples, from the Judiciary; Mr Roberts, from the committee on Agri-culture; Mr. Dillard, from the committee on Propositions and Grievances: Mr. Shackelford, from the committee on Engrössed Bills; Mr. Parish, from the Judiciary committee: Mr. Fox, from the committee on Enrolled Bills: Mr. Ransom, from the committee on Education, submitted reports.

RESOLUTIONS AND BILLS. By Mr. Council: A bill to repeal secion 46, chapter 78, Battle's Revisal. Committee on Propositions and Griev-

By Mr. King: A bill to extend the time for the organization of the Atlantic Iron and Steel Manufacturing Company, &c. Committee on Corporations. By Mr. Swaim: A bill to prevent the exportation of partridges. Committee

By Mr. McBrayer: A bill to require sheriffs to advertise sales of property in pers. Committee on Judiciary By Mr. Cooper: A bill to repeal chaplaws of 1874-'75. Committee Ismons and dire cances. By Mr. Rowland: A bill to change the boundary lines between Robeson and Columbus and Robeson and Bladen

on Propositions and Grievances.

counties. Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns and Townships. By Mr. Staples: A bill to amend section 5, art 5, of the constitution. Committee on Judiciary.

[Bill provides for an amendment to the constitution giving power to the General Assembly to exempt from taxation for a term of years capital employed in manufacturing and agricultural enterprises, to the end that manufacturing may be encouraged in the Stateand the commercial interests of the

State advanced, &c.
By the same: A bill to prevent fraudulent voting at elections and to protect the purity of the ballot box. Committee on Judiciary. By Mr. Kenan: A bill concerning

breaking into and entering houses at night. Committee on Judiciary. By Mr. McCubbins: A bill to preyent live stock running at large in Howan and Cabarrus counties and in a portion of Iredell county. Committee on Proposi-

tions and Grievances.

By Mr. McClure: A bill to regulate the manner of making election returns. Committee on Finance By Mr. Shackelford: A bill to authorize the commissioners of Onslow county to levy a special tax. Committee ou

Finance By Mr. Jarvis: A bill to authorize the extension of cemeteries situated in the town of Washington, Beaufort county Calendar.

By Mr. Moye: A bill to prohibit the sale of liquor within 3 miles of certain churches in Lenoir county. Committee on Propositions and Grievances. By Mr. Henderson: A bill to aid in

he completion of the Western N. C. R R. Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. McGehee: A bill to punish frauds in the use of public funds. Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Purnell: A bill to incorporate

he town of Forestville, Wake county. Committee on Corporations.

By Mr. Purnell: A bill to amend chapter 116, section 2. Battle's Revisal, to give county standard keepers balances

Committee on Counties, Cities, Town and Townships.

By Mr. Ransom: A bill to create; new township in the county of Tyrrell.

Committee on Propositions and Griev On motion of Mr. Rose, the bill for the benefit of the farmers of Gum Swamp and Rockfish townships, Cumberland county, was taken up and pass ed its several readings.

On motion of Mr. Carter, of Hyde, the House took up the bill to change the boundary lines between the counties of Hyde and Tyrrell. The question recurred upon the amend ment of the committee to submit the question of change to the qualified

Mr. Carter accepted the amendment. Mr. Ransom objected to the passage of the bill. He asked that the matter be postponed until Tuesday in order that he might get a petition remonstrating

against this proposed measure. Mr. Carter urged the passage of the After a lengthy debate between Messrs. Carter and Ransom, the ques-tion recurred upon the motion of the former to postpone until Tuesday.

The year and nays were called and the motion was adopted by a vote of

yeas 68; nays 26. On motion of Mr. Henderson, the bill to provide for the removal of obstruc-Catawba river, was taken up and passed

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, i ; several readings after being so amended as to apply to the Yadkin river.

> SPECIAL ORDER The bill to establish county governments, was taken up as the special or-

der of the hour.

[The bill has been published in full.]

On motion of Mr. Staples it was agreed to consider the bill by sections.

The first section was adopted.

The second section was taken up; and the question rearred upon the amendment recommended by the committee, giving the proposed Board of Justices in each county the power to say whether or not there shall be a

treasurer. The yeas and navs were called and dment was adopted by a vote of yeas 64; nays 36, a party vote.

The question recurred upon the section as amended.

Reynolds, col., moved to amend by pr widing for the election of five com-Mr. Bagley moved to amend the amendment by saying "not less than three nor more than five commis-

Reynolds, col., accepted the amend The question recurred on the amendment as amended, and the yeas and

nays being called it was rejected by vote of of yeas 35; nays 54. Mr. Ormond moved to strike out the word "Justices" and insert "qualified electors." Lost. The section as amended was adopted

by a vote of yeas 66; nays 29.

On the motion of Mr. Moring the House resolved itself into a Commit-tee of the Whole, and Mr. Parish took the chair. After the transaction of a good deal

of business the committee, on motion of Mr. Bagley, rose.

Mr. Parish, the chairman, reported progress and asked leave to sit again at 11:30 o'clock, A. M. Leave was granted. Mr. Richardson, by consent, intro-duced a bill to create an additional township by the name of Waccamaw, in Columbus county. Referred to the Committee on Counties, Cities, Towns

and Townships.

Mr. Wilson, of Burke introduced the following protest in regard to the action of the House, when the bill for the speedy completion of the Western North Carolina Railroad was under consideration, in regard to taking stock away from the private stockholders:

The undersigned members of the General Assembly beg leave to file their protest against the action of this body upon the bill for the completion of the Western North Carolina Railroad by which the private stockholders were deprived of all their interest in the same, or the following reasons, to wit:

Whereas, we are informed and believe that a suit was brought in the circuit court of the United States by one Hiram Sibley and others against the Western North Carolina Railroad. to oreclose a mortgage executed to said by the private stockholders on the ground that the execution of said mort-

gage was illegal and unauthorized and pending said litigation a bill passed the General Assembly of North Car olina providing for the purchase of said road by the State and also providing that the private stockholders when the road was so purchased should be entitled to one-fourth of the stock in lieu of the one-third interest then owned by them. And whereas the present stock-holders, as the undersigned are informed and believe, relying upon the provis-ions of the bill aforesaid and the faithful performance of the promise therein contained, immediately withdraw their opposition to the relief proposed in said said suit and allowed a decree of foreclosure and sale of the franchises and property of said road to be entered. And, whereas the undersigned are in-formed and believe that these facts in addition to the moral obligation impose an implied if not an express contract on he part of the State to faithfully convey out such obligation and contract. And whereas the action of the House of Representatives in declaring that said private stockholders are not entitled to aid stock is in direct violation of said obligation and contract. Now, therefore, the undersigned most respectfully protest against said action as a violation of the plighted faith of the State-les rogatory to her honor-and unjust to

many of her citizens.

JAMES W. WILSON, JOHN S. BROWN, JAMES P. DILLARD, D. McD. YOUNT, JOHN M. HOUK.

Adjourned. Convicts Received. Sheriff R. W. Hardie of Cumberland arrived in the city yesterday, bringing to the penitentiary 10 prisoners, who were convicted at the recent term of Cumberland Court. All the convicts are colored, and their names and terms are as follows : John Purcell, alias John Ray, 1 year; Cato Potts, 3 years; Cato Underwood, 2 years; Mack Williams, 9 years; Ed. Williams, 9 years; Andrew Hall, 9 years; Frank Smith 2 years; Alfred Elliott 2 years; Orpheus Elliott, 2 years: Peter Black, 2 years.

Deputy Sheriff Geo, W. Talte, of Bladen, also arrived in the city yesterday, bringing to the penitentiary, Wesley Wright, colored, convicted of arson and sentenced to 25 years imprissonment in the penitentiary.

John M. Robinson, Esq., the President of the Raleigh & Gaston, Seaboard & Roanoke, and several other railroads, arrived in this city last evening, and is registered at the Yarbrough

Jos. H. Wilson, Esq., of Charlotte. is in the city attending the Suprema

Wade H. Harris, the brightest young journalist in the State, is registered at the National Hotel. He is the editor and proprietor of the Concord San.

J. Abner Harrell, Esq., of the Fran.

lin Tribune, is in the city. Eggs 15 cents a dozen; Fresh Butter 25 cents a pound; 50 barrels Early Rose, Goodrich, Peerless and Jackson white Polatoes, at Woolcott's Open Front Store, Wilmington street.

The Old Folks' Concert.

Last evening the spacious school room of the Peace Institute was crowded by an audience of the best people in Raleigh, the occasion being the Old Folks' Concert for the benefit of the Presbyterian Church. Musical entertainments at this institution have attained such a high reputation that much was expect-

ed and none were disappointed,

The opening scene was "ye Singing Skule," and well was it rendered. While looking upon the antique costumes of "ye menne and wimmin singers," observing the stiff and formal manners which were presumed to characterize good society in the time whereof the memory of man runneth not to the contrary, we could almost fancy having recovered a hundred or so of lost years and gone back to the days when the English sceptre rated the American colonies. Both the costumes and acting were perfect; the singing in many respects of the highest order of excellence. That sweet old Scotch ballad "John Anderson, my Jo," was rendered in an exquisite manner by Miss Ada Wriston. Mrs. Geo. C. Jordan, (Mistress P.iscilla Hotchkiff) sang that never old song, the "Irish Emigrant's Lament," and her rich, highly cultivated and flexible voice, and charming grace of expression, did full justice to the deep and touching pathos of the beautiful song. "Oh in the Stilly Night," as sung by the gentlemen quartette, Messrs. Walton Busbee, Geo. C. Jordan, William Primrose and L. D. Heartt, captivated the audience and received lavish ecomiums in the shape of round after round of applause. The first encore of the evening greeted "Dost Thou Love Me? ("very worldlie,") a comic duet. It was rendered by Mr. Heartt and one of the young lady pupils of the institute whose name cannot be just now recalled. In fact all of the selections were admirable and adapted in every way to heighten the interest in the representation of a singing school of the olden time. All came up to a praiseworthy standard of excellence, but we cannot fail to make a special mention of the touching and very beautiful rendition by the full chorus of "Auld Lang Syne."-Tears quivered and glistened in eyes for long years unaccustomed to give an external evidence of inward emotions. Each one's thoughts went back to their

Auld Lang Syne, and pictured in the mind many a gone, happy, but not for-The above is only an imperfect outline of the first part of the programme, necessarily imperfect because of the late hour at which is writ-

ten and consequently the hurried man-The second part of the programme consisted of choice selections, instrumental and vocal, and while it is impossible, at present, to do full justice in descriptive point of view, the great merit of some of the performances challenges a mention, though brief and imperfect it be. The vocalization of Misa Katie Scales

en" may be characterized, without exaggeration, as remarkably perfect. "Breathe Thou One Sigh," sung by Misses Mary Merrimon, Alli Hannah and Eunice Hemphill, received a well-

in "Wilt Thon Leave Me Fairest Maid-

merited recognition at the hands of the audience in hearty applause. In "L'Ardita," Miss Eunice Hemphill was the recipient of a deserved encore, the young lady acquitting herself in a manner which evidences the

possession of rare vocalistic ability. Tennyson's "Tears, Idle Tears," will be read by many of those who heard Miss Mary Merrimon sing it last evening, with a greater degree of appreciation of its beauty, both as to rythm and sentiment. Her sweet, bird-like notes gave a living beauty to the already surpassingly beautiful wording with which the poet has clothed his poetical creations The striking expression, clearness of enunciation, and exquisite modulations of the voice combined to give to the execution a success which was at once recognized by the encore which followed the conclusion of the more than beautiful strains which the graceful and talented cantatrice poured upon the au-

The comic song, the world renowed 'Jonnie Schmoker," by the gentlemen quartette, was given in an irresistibly comical manner and they were called out and made to repeat.

Many noteworthy features are necessarily omitted, for reasons stated before All of the performers, the Presbyterian church choir and some of the young ladies of the Institute, came fully up to what was required of them, and gave to the audience an entertainment such as is rarely enjoyed in this latitude.

Before closing this notice, justice requires that a word of commendation should be said of the thorough and excellent manner in which Prof. Bauman trains his pupils. The cold and unfeeling science of music is not alone imparted, but it is softened by being blended with grace and expression to as to make the whole a beautiful and at tractive harmony.

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The Previous Governor.

Gov. Brogden is resting in peace at his home and that of his sister at the little station of Dudley, in Wayne county. On the 4th of March he will take the seat in Congress now occupied by John A. Hyman, colored. He is now resting himself for the congressional labors before him, and is no doubt writing a speech interspersed with poetry and a certain amount of eloquence at regular intervals. He stays down there in the country, we understand, hardly ever leaving home, and is just as happy as he can be when not actually the incumbent of an office of some kind or other. Office-holding is second nature with the old gentleman. No man in North Carolina ever had such pure, inexplicable mother luck. Since 1885 he has never been out of office two years at a time, and we suppose that to be sud-is denly ousted at any time, without a prospect of getting back, would be his

"He has no wife or children, good or had, to provide for," and an office stands to him in the relation of a family. If his politics were different we could wish that he always had one, for after a fashion we like old Governor Brogden. There is no malice in him, and when he did wrong as Governor, we believe it was when he was over-persuaded. Everybody makes fun of the old man-his poetry and his rhetoric-but we don't suppose he has a half-dozen enemies in the world, nor would he willingly efflict anybody in the world, except in the delivery of a speech, and in this respect he is totally merciless.

Superior Court.

The Superior Court met yesterday morning at the usual hour, Julge Schenck on the bench. These are the cases taken up and disposed of :

Sanders vs. E lington; motion for new trial denied, and judgment for plaintiff. The defendant took an appeal to the Supreme Court. Rand vs. Rand et al : demurrer overruled and action sustained. The de-

fendant took an appeal to the Supreme court. State ex. rel. Harris, Solicitor, vs. Harrison, et al. E. G. Brown, appointed receiver. (Further argument in this case was postponed until this morning

at 10 o'clock.) State ex. rel. Williams vs. Crenshaw referred to R. G. Lewis, Esq., under the code.

of Wake county; judgment for plain-

Court adjourned until this morning at 10 o'clock.

The County Government Bill. Yesterday the Senate bill to establish county governments was considered in the House of Representatives. In its consideration the House resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole. The House committee on county governments have recommended a large number of amendments to the bill and a large number offered by individual members are pending. The space nece essary to give the reader an intelligent idea of the status of the bill, how it will read when the pending amendments are adopted, cannot be given, but the bill

when perfected will be published in full.

House Burned. Yesterday, about the hour of 11 A. M. the dwelling house on the farm of Mr. Richard Jacus, situated on the Rhamkatte road, about five miles southwest of this city, was entirely destroyed by fire. None of the contents were saved as the flames had made too much head. way when first dis overed. No particulars of the disaster have been received. and the origin of the fire has not yet been discovered. The farm is the property of a Mr. Dugner, who is the fatherin-law of Mr. Jacus. We hear that the house was insured in some northern fire

insurance company. A Card to the Citizens of Raleigh

Township. The school census of Raleigh Township, required by law to be taken anqually by the School Committee, will be commenced immediately. There is no provision of law for compensation to the committee for this work. The citizens are therefore earnestly requested to render all convenient aid to the census taker when he calls, to facilitate speedy completion of the work.

more time to take a complete census of the population of the township, with the races separated. The consus taker will be supplied with blanks prepared for this purpose, and if information be cheerfully given he will take a complete census of city and

If necessary information were cheer-

fully furnished, it would cost but little

The city papers are requested to copy, on the principle of the school law ! forma pauperis. A. W. SHAFFER.

Ch'm School Committee, Feb. 13, 1877. logent Reasons for a Grand Success.

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Conspicuous among the highest examples
of success which the present century can
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ted evidence of nearly thirty years shows that
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REV C. C. PENICK, bishop-elect (Prowas one of the consecrators.

CHARLES O'CONOR, in his speech be fore the Electoral Commission, said: "No honest man, capable of blushing, can look another in the face and assert the Hayes electors in Florida were elected." True, every word of it.

THE LOUISIANA CASE.

The commission yesterday were engaged with the Louisiana case. The New York Herald thus states the case :

"The order or rule which was adopted in regard to Florida applied to a State which had enjoyed self-government; whose people might be reasonably held responsible for their own acts and for the acts of the officers, including the Governor and Returning Board, whom they had chosen by their votes. But how stands the case in Louisiana? The St. Tammany a resident of New Orleans: people of that State elected neither the the supervisor for Madison a resident of authenticate the acts of the Hayes elec tors, nor the Returning Board which of Louisiana have not, since 1872, enjoved a government of their choice, This is a notorious fact. Governor Kellogg, the State officers and the Legislature acting with him, were imposed upon the State of Louisiana by federal militury forces, acting upon the 'midnight order of the federal Judge Durrellan order which was so contrary to law that to escape impeachment for having i sued it he resigned his judgeship. The men thus put in power over Louisiana refused to admit Mr. Pinchback when by Indian tribes, goes on to say: he came with a certificate of election by the usurping Legislature and from the of this agitation, we laid the responsiusurping Governor. The people of bility for it on the shoulders of the car-Louisiana have never ceased to protest pet-baggers. And there we doubt not, against the usurpation, and it is notorious that the whole so-called govern- was meant to be engineered through as ment would disappear of itself if the a scheme of political capital; or whether

and whom they have never acknowledged, signs the certificate of the Hayes ever, one important point that the colorelectors. The Returning Board which ed people would do well to bear in counted in those electors was framed mind. If Mr. Tilden is made President and chosen by the usurping Legislature; there will be an era of good feeling, bewas made self-perpetuating by that cause every man will feel that justice, body, which had not even the lawful although delayed, has been finally acauthority to create it; has been detectel and exposed in the commission of will know that a great crime has been gross frauds upon the voters of the committed under the forms of law; and State since then by a committee sent by although there will be submission and disavowed any intention to engage in a Republican House of Representatives, and in its present action, in counting in south would have had a better time ida case, and that their delay was merely the Hayes electors, has openly violated under Tilden's reign of law, justice and for the purpos; of carefully examining a l even the law, or pretended law, of the peace than they will have under the the papers as they appeared this mornusurping Legislature which created it. The President of that Returning Board, lent commission of perjured Radical ing the regular o der of business.

Wells, was exposed by the Congression-ludges. The fact that Hayes professes in speaking of the intention of al Committee of 1875 for having sworn to matters, in an affidavit, of which he had to confess he had no knowledge. If the commission should accept the certificate of Kellogg and the acts of his plain; if not, we have no objection to that account could be rejected, and if Returning Board, it would be the very first time that any branch of the federal power has directly ventured to declare States, were Hayes made a thousand if a State had voted for either Hayes or that usurping government legitimate. It would do an act which neither the President nor the Senate has judged it giving the votes of Louisiana and Ore- and Wheeler would be declared elected, right to do. The Democrats believe gon to the defeated candidate, the ne- he folt somewhat uncertain as to the rethat, however partisan spirit may rule groes of South Carolina and Louisiana sult, because he could not foresee what that, however partisan spirit may rule will have occasion to be very would be done in the case of Louisiana, the Senators and Representatives in the wary and well-behaved. If Chamberlain It would be recollected that four years commission, the Justices of the Supreme and Packard begin any impudent and ago, a ter his c. nv i s or re-election, Court will hesitate before so grave an violent proceedings on the strength of the two houses resolved not to count act, and will refuse to declare valid, Hampton and Nicholls will now have no the reasons in the two cases might not be similar there seemed to be some up and much less final and conclusive, the need whatever to stay their hands in the he similar, there seemed to be some un acts of a body of men who derive their authority from fraud and violence which are infamous in our history, and who are infamous in our history, and who have never exercised a substantive power in the State, but have openly confessed that they existed as rulers only under the continual protection of federal soldiers. They believe that when such a proposition comes before

iana:—'We will not do you the injustice, the wrong, to ignore your protests, or to legitimatize the usurping conspirtice, the wrong, to ignore your protests, ators whom neither Congress nor the Executive have thought it right to thus

"But suppose that so monstrous a wrong should be attempted as to recognize these persons as having lawful and rightful authority to rule over Louisiana, even then the commission will not, the cents per line each insertion. Contracts for advertisements for any space or time can be made at the News counting-rooms.

Contractors will positively not be allowed to exceed their space, or advertise other than their legitimate business, except by paying specially for the same.

Democrats believe, venture to justify and accept the unlawful and fraudulent acts by which the Returning Board caused to disappear from the poll lists a majority of ten thousand cast for Mr. Democrats believe, venture to justify a majority of ten thousand cast for Mr. Tilden, and to substitute in its place a pretended majority of several thousand for Mr. Hayes. They cannot touch the proceedings of the Board anywhere at Troy will be an exceedingly fine one. without coming upon wrong or upon violation of the State law, under which it is bound to act. If testimony is admitted they will be shown that the Board had no authority under the law Each subscriber will see plainly printed on the yellow label, on which his name is printed, the date when his subscription will expire. Subscribers desiring to renew will do so in time and avoid losing any copy of this paper. Any subscriber faiting to receive a copy of his paper will conter a favor by notifying this office. Democratic member; that they offered his present severe illness began. All Communications should be addressed they procured fraudulent certificates of was written. intimidation to be made at New Orleans whereas the law expressly provides that certificates must be made at the place of voting and within twenty-four hours after the election. They will be shown Our subscribers will greatly oblige us that without such unlawful and fraudulent protests the votes of the State must have been given to the Tilden electors, and if they should venture still deeper His friends arouse themselves by telling him testant Episcopal) of Cape Palmas, Af- into the matters they would discover in rica, was consecrated at Alexandria, the very preparations for the election Virginia, yesterday. Bishop Atkinson by the Kellogg usurpers the clearest violations of right and law-properly registered voters erased from the registry and their protests refused a hearing; fraudulent registrations protected where a pug was sold for \$25, and two fine Newfoundthey favored the usurpers; the officers | land dogs were slmost given away. It is sai | Mr. Bennett intends to sell his horses. charged with the registration of voters and the election of officers throughout the State either themselves candidates for re-election or holding places under Kellogg, and in numerous instances not residents of the parishes where they

leans for burglary; the supervisor for East Baton Rouge lately a member of counted in those electors. The people the Mississippi Legislature, and before that a resident of New Orleans, and so "Having been shown all these things ean the Electoral Commission honestly decide to give the vote of Louisiana to

elections in New Orleans Custom House

officers; the supervisor for Ouachita a

collector of internal revenue; the super-

visor for Claiborne parish a clerk in the

COLONIZATION.

the Republican candidate? We await

with deep solicitude the answer of the

commission to this very important ques-

The Petersburg Index & Appeal, after have been maintained there by federal quoting from the News, the account of troops ever since. Their right to the the discussion in the House, last Thursplaces they usurped has never been as- day on, Williamson's bill to memoralize serted by any branch of the federal Congress for an appropriation to remove government. The President said he did the negroes of North Carolina to a westnot know who was elected. The Senate ern reserve, like those occupied by

Sometime ago, referring to the rumor federal support were removed. It has some carpet-bagger expected to get the job of transportation and intended to perform a double swindle on the negroes and the government alike. What-"Now, Kellogg, thus forced upon the ever the malicious inspiration of the people of Louisiana against their will, plan it has failed; and its effect will be just the reverse of what its secret patron desired and designed. There is, howby the decision of the High Commission, times a fraudulent President by the

DAILY NEWS. these judges they will prefer, at least, to throw out the vote of the State. They will say to the people of Louisiana:—'We will not do you the injustiana:—'We will not do you the injustiana. the reported misunderstand-nburg, will seem to have been Christmas. If they behave themselves, they will share in the benefits which will be generally derived from the expulsion of thieves and the restoration of State governments to the hands of the honest and capable. A word to the

PERSONAL.

Mr. Moody announces that the family of the singer Bliss, are now amply provided for It is now said Mr. Carlyle never wrote that

Andrew Jackson Davis, who now lives in Grange, N. J., is at work on new maps of the summariand," the spiritualists' heaven lowers, and in ferreting out and expos-The Wool monument which is to be erected ing the dark and vile deeds of Radicalbase stone weighs about seventy tons.

Joaquin Miller has written a satirical poem

modern society, curiously called "The neess of Pills." The wife of President Grant has sent a bask-Alexander H. Stephens almost every day since

threw out votes in violation of law; that doffin and a cane made from the sper of the ship on which 'The Star Spangled Banner' Miss Imagene Reid, daugnter of one of Baltimore's mi liouaire's, was married on Thursday to Mr. Edgeworth Bird, a Baltimore mer-

chant. Among the wedding presents is one of a quarter of a million dollars from the Governor Bross illustrates the marvelous growth of Chicago by saying that in 1850 he saw a wolf pass his door on Michigan avenue. principal residence street of the city

run of Western editors. The wolf generally squatted in front of their doors and howled. James Gordon Bennett's dogs were sold at aution on Wednesday, and the prices obtained were ridiculously low. A pair of Gordon set ers, worth \$1,000, were sold for \$40; fou English mastiffs brought from \$12 to \$14 each

that he has had better luck than the general

NOTES AND OPINIONS.

Mr. Hewitt does not, it is said, construe the lorida decision as in any sense significant

Mr. York A. Woodward, one of the most ac were sent to supervise the registration omplished clerks of the Louisiana Returning and election. Thus they would find Board, was appropriately graduated as a pres Hahn, State Registrar, a candidate for tidigitateur

Governor Noves of Ohio, who has been at the Legislature; eight supervisors of Washington as Hayes' next' friend, said that he would go home, he was satisfied when the lorida decision was announced.

Judge Black has been despondent all along therefore reaches this conclusion; New Orleans Post Office and not resihave the law and the facts upon our side, but he other side has the cour

dent in the parish; the supervisor for Albany Espress; We believe Gov. Haves to have been legally and honestly elected, but we do not want the high commission to so decide by a strictly party vote of eight to seven.

I have no personal objection to Dr. ja25-tds. Governor whose certificate pretends to Alabama, under indictment in New Or- c.de by a strictly party vote of eight to seven. pr s mit on of he law should be r baked

For the first time in several months, Rab. houses and were about on the evening after the Florida decision, shining and happy, drinking with every administration man they

Chief Jastice Waite is reported as saying hat he did not see anything in this decision of the electoral commission) to make any one of either side especially glad or sorry. It had perely cleared away the debris of the case and left it standing upon its legal merits.

It is the Springfield Republican's opinion that "this decision practically settles Florida and Louisiana in favor of Hayes, and makes he presidential contest depend on whether Haves is allowed three votes from Oregon or he third vote is not counted for either candiate. It therefore greatly improves the hances of Hayes, but does not assure his elec-

The St. Louis Republican's New Orleans correspondent asserts that Anderson offered him the vacant place on the Returding Board would agree to certain ar rangements. The same authority avers that Wells personally told him the position of President of the board ought to be worth a million of dollars to him. Why not call him

Brooklyn Eigle: When the retired "statesman; Hon. Wm. M. Tweed, reads the newspapers to day; he will probably arrive at the conclusion that he attached himself to the wrong party. If he had been on the other side his health would have been of as much concern to the Republican newspapers to day as is that of the amiable Mr. Wells, a Louisiina "statosman."

President Grant on the Electoral Commission and its .ction.

[Correspondence N. Y. Herald.] WASHINGTON, Feb. II. 1877.

The President to-night, in the course of conversation, said it had appeared to public favor.

ANGUS. him that the Democrats of the House, intended is obstruct the counting of the To the Editor of the News; electoral vote; but on his being informed that many prominent democrats had usurpation of Hayes, though the latter ing in print, he said he was glad to hear should carry in his pocket the fraudu- it, as nothing e ald be gained by resist-

In speaking of the intention of demhimself a fanatic on the negro question ocrats to make an objection to a countmakes the position of the negro all the ing of the electoral vote of Illinois on more delicate and difficult, and the account of alleged inelligibility of Mr. more exposed to mistakes and penalties. Chaffee, one of the electors, he said he We hope we make our meaning quite did not see how the vote of the State on stating it again in the clearest terms. the objection were made to Mr. Chaffee There are to be no more carpet-bag and only the democrats could derive no bennegro governments in the Southern ofit from it. He thought it was but fair Tilden the full vote of such State should fraud of Radical judges. If the Com-mission perjures and stultifies itself by complexion. Although he hoped Hayes

LETTER FROM CHAPEL HILL. Course of the News Endorsed -- Primus Primores Why Dr. Grissom Should not be Retained. CHAPEL HILL, N. C., Feb. 12, '77.

Messes. Editors:

The position that you have taken and which you advocate concerning the retention of Dr. Eugene Grissom as superintendent of the insane asylum meets with the cordial support of the Democratic party of this county. In this connection I may state that the energy, vigor and spirit with which the NEWS maintained our cause during the late canvass cannot be too strongly praised. You were primus in primores in refuting the vile and slanderous attacks upon our standard bearer and his noble fol-

"Shall Dr. Grissom be r tained in office?" is a question which has been put E. H. Thompson, of Flint, Michigan, is said fice?" is a question which has been put and answered through the columns of your able journal sufficiently enough to bring conviction on the subject. There are one or two reasons why he

should not be allowed to hold the of-

1. Our noble Democratic army headed et of flowers to the bedside of Representative by the brave and chivalrens Vance in gaining the victory over Radical rule used as the great watchword, REFORM. Mr. Longfellow possesses a bit of Dante's Upon every banner it was written in harge letters, and on every stump pr-claimed. Many whose past party affinations were not with us, united with us with the purpose of aiding in this much needed reformation of our State gov-

> Now the question is, while our victorious army is in possession of the field, and are stacking away their arms for the enjoyment of peace and good government; while the shouts of victory are beginning to strike less loudly on our ears; while our people are anxiously waiting the result of our first efforts at State government, shall we allow one of the enemy to stand up among us in an important office? Shall we allow one to hold the most sacred office of our State government who for years has been opposing our best interests? No. sir: the voice of the people who supported the Democrats, rising amid the rocks and crags of the west and gathering strength in its flight, strikes upon the eastern waters of our noble State, demanding in tones of thunder the dismissal of

Eugene Grissom. Let us make a clean sweep, and take forever from the borders of our State the last vestige of those whose only purpose has been to dishonor her. Dr. Grissom may not have acted with that purpose but these who elevated him to the office he now holds, and those who have his confidence are among that

For this reason he ought to be dis-

2. This I hall is the more important De nocrats many distinguished physicians who aided inbringing about the im victory so lately a hieved and to the "victor belongs the spci s."

St. Louis Times: According to Stanley Mat. Grissom, but I for one am opposed to thews, the presumption of the law is in favor of Wells and is Returning Board. Then the then have its favors bestowed on its ANTI- RISSOMITE. enemies.

Course of the News Endorsed. To the Editor of the News:

SIR: I was gratified to read your editorial on the subject of "personal favoritism and party principle," in your issue of yesterday, and also the communication of "Justice" on the use of the broom. The editorial and the communication, as well as the extract from the Tarboro Southerner, speak the sentiments and feelings of the great mass of the Democracy of the State on the subject of retaining Radicals—any Radical-in office.

Why, sir, what a spectacle have we presented to us in this matter! In this day, when the wire-workers and unscrupulous party leaders of the Radical party at Washington are resorting to all manner of party tricks and legal technicalities to cheat the nation out of its clearly expressed choice of President of the United States, we find here in North Carolina, where the voice of the people was equally unmistakable for a change for retrenchment and reform -for a clean sweep throu hout, we find men-Democrats-pleading for the retention of prominent Radicals in high and responsible positions! Not only so, but pleading for Radicals of the "original pannel;" the very ones who originated and founded the Radical dynasty in the State-that dynasty that brought financial death into our State.

and all our woes, The masses of the Democratic party did not expect to witness such a scene, nor are they in sympathy with any such sentiment; and that Democrat who participates in it, will find it to meet him, like Cæsar's ghost at Phillippi,

A Suggestion.

SIR: " Vain is the help of man." merican people need a ruler who will do right. All good people readily admit that the Lord Jehovah is the Supreins Ruler of the Universe, and that He is just, as well as merciful, and that He is the proper source to draw upon for temporal as well as spiritual good. And universally admitted that Union there is strength.

My suggestion is that all praying people, in every city, town, village and hamlet, all over this broad land, errespective of denomination or denominational prejudice, do assemble themselves together punctually at some stated place, and spend one half hour daily in prayer to the King of Kings, that His nighty power may be displayed in salvation of our common country. Such meetings to continue until the presidential problem is solved. I would suggest sun-rise as the best time to hold these meetings. And I would suggest that every patriotic journal in the land, publish this card.

ONE WHO BELIEVES IN THE EFFICACY OF PRAYER AND LOVES HIS COUNTRY. Wilson, N. C., Feb. 10, 1877.

Old Cameron in a Love Scrape. N. Y. Evening Telegram,1

Senator Simon Cameron, who will be seventy-eight years old on the 8th of March, was sued for breach of promise on Thursday—by a woman, not by an office-seeker. She is described as a Treasury clerk, rather undersized, and about forty years old. She alleges that the ancient Simon has damaged her \$10,000. The Senator's friends propose that the case shall be referred to the Electoral Commission after it has settled the Presidency.

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New River Canal Company.

To the Editor of the News: SIR: The mammoth scheme of the so-called New River Canal Company, for absorbing public lands of the State, demands the most searching investigation and critical analysis of the Legisture, as well as the State Board of Education. These public lands of the State belong to the school fund and are about all that belong, in this relation to a once sugar-coated pills, the scheme of swallowing up these lands, by land specula-tors, has been before the Legislature at each session for many years past, as land grabbing schemes are so often before our National Congr.ss. It becomes our Legislators to be on the alert, as it surely is incumbent on our State Board of Education, the guardians of our pub-I'e school system, to watch with jealous care and suspicion, in this long-grabbing age, these seductive plans, as set forth in hurried words and dazzling masses and petitions, of draining and disposing of these magniticent tracts of the State's public lands. Smely no such proposition as is now made to the General Assembly for disposing of these land by the so-called New River Canal Company will secure much attention, much less endersement, from the Legislature, unless its ustice, feasibility and wisdom is endorsed, not alone by the State Geologist and Superintendent of Public Instruction, but also by a board of competent ad scientific surveyors and engineers. The State cannot afford to part with these immense tracts of land to any company, whether in our own or from other States, except upon the most indubitable testimony that the enterprise is every way indicious, if the Demoeratic party of the State now n control, would escape such howl of denunciation and condemnation as would reverberate in ones of alarm and danger from the seaboard to the mountains. Go to the regards of the last Board of ducation and discover whether observes, similar in the main, have not been repeatedly laid before that Board, and as often repudiated. The present sheme cannot possibly benefit the commerce, or prosperity, or wealth of Wil brington, or of any of the surrounding munties; and mainly because of the pro posed canal connecting the waters of North-east river with Pamlico Sound was out as proposed, it would add nothing of consequence to the city, as freight nd travel would always seek cheaper and quicker transportation between nore and Wilmington by railroad

mercial emporium and a city of promise and of wealth, and of high-toned patri otic feelings and aims. But let her people be not deceived by false or erroneous premises, or seductive allurements of talse prophets and romantic plans as 10 what will increase her trade or add

to her presperity. I am informed by high railroad autherity that should the canal be cut, and transportation attempted, it could not compete at all with existing transportation routes of railroad and water. It now only costs about thirty cents to take a barrel of flour from Baltimore to Wilmington. No canal company, as suggested, can ever afford to charge such low rates as these old established lines. And, then, farmers of judgment, and s cilled in ditching, as well as scientific surveyors and engineers combine in stating that the proposed canal is against nature, for the reason that i would be several feet higher where it is to end on the North East river, than at the head or beginning, at or about New river. The plan is absurd and it will cost more than sensible men or capitalists will ever be willing to invest. Experiments so wild, and speculations so gigantic, cannot, must not, secure the favorable consideration of those whose high duty it is in this day of economy and retrenchment in North Carolina, to stand sentinels at the gate of the treasury of our impoverished State, now about to begin a new era of prosperity. Land grabbers are always on the look out to suck the life-blood of States as well as

of the nation, and the people rely with confidence upon the present Legislature to parsue such a course on this and other public questions as will not enable the Republican party in our next State anapaign, to have such a weapon, as the passage of such a bill as is now pro will give them, for injuring the arty now managing our public lands, ild other matters and institutions of State. Were I a member of the sistature I should at once propose a postponement of this matter until the next meeting of the General Assembly, and in the meantime strive, by legisla e direction, to have a board of prac-Bal farmers and surveyors appointed to soler upon these lands and make such as syploration and survey of them, and New river, North East, and other oreal streams and surroundings, as would enable the said board to make tich a report to the Board of Educain as would furnish reliable data for de future action by the proper author es of the State as would best advance Recinterests and protect the rights of the people of North 'arolina, The

ediffer to such delay and examination, Freport of competent and disinter stdistancers and scientists, if they re type North Carolinians and willing tal forget self as to be ready to billice the sacrifice we should all be is may to make for our suffering State. Possit me, in conclusion, to say, in warre, that nothing personal be intended, in this communication. not even know who compose River Canal Com-But I am assured that

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plan proposed to the last and presdesgislature, is injudicious and iminstitutions. My heart embraces evering McIntyre's body. her castern plains as well as her Westerachells-her Western North Crrolina Rathe ads, as well as her eastern public . PRICE ONE DOLLAR A YEAR.

lands, and I should be recreant to my fidelity if I could sit idly by and see the one or the other attempted to be imposed upon or injured or swallowed up in these degenerate days of love of office and of ruinous land speculation, with-

out raising my warning voice.

More Axox. February 10th, 1877.

CAPTIONS Of the Acts and Resolutions, Passed by the General Assembly at Its Ses

sion of '76-'77.

An Act, to authorize the Commissioners of Pasquotank county to levy a special tax; (authorizes a tax of \$5,000,-00.) Ratified 3d February, 1877.

Act, changing the dividing line between Brunswick and Columbus counties. (The territory transferred from Brunswick to Columbus county, shall constitute a township, with such voting precincts as the commissioners of Columbus may establish. The commissioners of Brunswick to pay over to Columbus the school money levied in the transferred territory. Judge of Probate of Columbus to appoint two Magistrates for the new townships.

Ratified 3d February, 1877.

An Act to protect the fishing interest in Contentnea and Black Creeks. [Persons are forbidden to use drift nets of any kind in the waters of Contentnea Creek from its mouth to Barefoot's Mill , in Wilson county; or to use more than one seine in any seine hole; or to obstruct by hedges or otherwise the passage of fish in said creeks; or to use any nets except bow-nets in said creeks from Friday evening sunset until Monday morning, sunrise. Persons offending, guilty of a misdemeanor, cognizabefore a Magistrate.] Ratified 30 February, 1877.

An Act to allow Milton Township, in Caswell county, to subscribe \$15,000 to the stock of the Milton & Sutherlin Narrow Gauge Railroad. [Authorizes an election to be held for or against such subscription. If a majority of votes be for subscription, the commissioners of Milton shall subscribe for said 15,000 of stock and issue bonds to pay for the same; shall levy a tax to pay said bonds at maturity, and to pay the interest thereon.] Ratified 30 Februa-

An Act, legalizing Reddies River township, in Wilkes county. (Makes lawful the acts heretofore done by the flicers thereof, and confirms the estabhment of said township.) Ratified

An Act, changing the time of holding the Superior courts in the 10th Judicial District. (The courts to be held as

In Alexander, the 1st Mondays in April and September, one week. In Catawba, the 2d Mondays in April and September, one week.

In Caldwell, the 3d Mondays in April and September, one week. In Watauga, the 4th Mondays in April and September, one week. In Ashe, the 1st Monday after the

4th Mondays in April and September, In Alleghany, the 2d Monday after he 4th Mondays in April and Septem-

ber, two weeks In Wilkes, on the 4th Monday after the 4th Mondays in April and Septem-

In Iredell, on the 6th Monday after the 4th Mondays in April and Septemer, two weeks. Process to be returned at such times, Ratified 7th Feb., 1877.

Ar Act, requiring sheriffs and tax diectors to publish the list of dalidment tax-payers at the court house door and at one public place in each township. Expense to be paid by county. Ratified 7th February, 1877.

An Act, incorporating the Bynum

Manufacturing Company in Chatham county. Usual act of incorporation. Ratified 7th February, 1877. An Act, amending the charter of Kinston by providing that no person shall vote unless he has been resident in the State twelve months and ninety days

in the corporation, Ratified 7th Feb-An Act, prohibiting the sale of liquor within two miles of Waynesville Acadeny in Haywood county. [Makes a vio-ation of the law a misdemeanor, punshed by fine and imprisonment at the iscretion of the court.] Ratified 7th

ebruary, 1877. An Act, amending the charter of New Bern, N. C. (A private act, the provisions of which are not of general imortance.) Ratified 7th February.

An Act, for the completion of the Railroad from Paint Rock to the Warm Springs in Madison county. (Gives the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia Railroad Company, right and power to extend, finish and equip and use, what is known as the Morristown branch of aid road, running from Morristown to Wolf Creek, Tenn., to and from the N. C. line, near Paint Rock to the Warm Springs; said company may use and own the present surveyed road-bed and franchise of the French Broad branch of the Western North Carolina Railroad, be tween points designated, with all its rights, powers and privileges, Ratified 7th Feb'y, 1877.

An Act, empowering the commission-

ers of Chatham county to appoint a tax collector. Ratified 7th Feb'y, 1877. An Act for the relief of the tax pay-

ers of Wake county. [Those persons, whose lands were sold for taxes and which were bought by the State in the years 1874-'75, have until the 1st. day of July 1877, to redeem them.] Ratified 7th, February, 1877.

An Act to amend sec. 2, chap. 18,

Battle's Revisal. (Amends the code of Civil Procedure as to the bringing of uits, the provisions being substantially the same as those in the act suspending the Code, &c.) Ratified 7th Febru-

An Act, incorporating the Biddle University, in Mecklenburg. (University for freedmen.) Ratified 10th, February, 1877.

An Act to secure the better draining of the low lands of South Yad cin, in the county of Alexander, betwee a Deal's mills and Mehaffey's saw mill. (Names commissioners who shall lay off the river in convenient sections and appoint overseers thereon. Being a local la v, its provisions are not of gereral interest.) Ratified 10th Febru ry 1877,

An act authorizing the town of War-renton to subscribe to the War enton Railroad Company. (Provides or a subscription of \$5,000, it a majority of the yoters of said town indorse the same, and for issuing bonds to pay the same.) Ratified 10th February, 1877.

Revenue Raiders Riddled.

ATLANTA, Feb. 12 .- Friday night a detachment of United States infantry accompanying revenue agents was ambushed by d stille.s in Gilmer county, granble, and as an humble citizen and Lieut. McIntyre, company E. See-Gover of my native State, I utter ond Infantry, was killed. A detachment be protest to its passage. I love the was sent to recover the body. It is said and a sold State in all her parts and all to have killed three distillers before re-

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OPPICE OF NORTH CAROLINA STATE LIPE INSURANCE COMPANY. RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 6 1877. RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. b 1877. The regular annual meeting of Stoc holders of the North Carolina State Life Insurance Company will be held at the company's office Wednesday, February 21st, at 11 A. M. W. H. HICKS. Secretary and Treasurer.

feb 8-dtd MOTICE OF PRIVATE ACT Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the General Assembly of North Carolina, at its present session, for the passage of a law to incorporate the Farmers' savings Bank of Kidgeway, N. C. Jan. 23 Im.

NOTICE OF PRIVATE ACT. Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the General Assembly of North Carolina, at its present session, for the passage of a law to amend the charter of the city of Raleigh.

Jan. 19th 1877. tf.

O T 1 C E. Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the present General Assembly, after the expiration of thirty days from the date hereof, for an act to incorporate Albemarle Lodge, No. 74, L. O. O. F., Hertford, N. C. lwim

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Sapreme Court.

Court opened at 10 o'clock A. M., all

the Justices present.

The court proceeded to the consideration of appeals heretofore set for hearing at the end of the docket, and causes were disposed of as follows:

E. M. Adams vs. R. E. & M. C. Reeves, from Guilford; argued by Scott & Callwell for the plaintiff, and W. H. Bailey and Gray & Stamps for the detendants.

Abel Cox vs. W. F. Brookshire, from Randolph; argued by E. G. Haywood for the plaintiff, and J. A. Gilmer and Gray & Stamps for the defendant.

Thomas H. Pegram vs. Samuel Stoltz, from Forsythe; argued by Thomas J. Wilson for the plaintiff, and J. M. Me-Corkle and Armistead Jones for the defendant.

Jesse Hill vs. John Sprinkle et al., from Forsythe; argued by Thomas J. Wilson for the plaintiff; no counsel for the defendant

State vs. Elam S. Teeter, from Cabarrus : argued by the Attorney General for the State, and Shipp & Bailey for the defendant.

State vs. Pink Ross et al., from Meck lenburg; argued by the Attorney General for the State, and Shipp & Bailey for the defendants.

R. D. Whitley vs. A. A. Alexander. from Mecklenburg; argued by Shipp & Bailey, C. Dowd, R. Barringer and W. W. Flemming for the plaintiff, and Wilson & Son and J. W. Hinsdale for the defendant.

State vs. Isaac and Mag Kennedy, from Mecklenburg; argued by the Attorney General for the State, and Shipp & Bailey for the defendants.

C. C. & G. W. King, executors, vs William P. Little, from Mecklenburg: continued.

I. R. Hopper vs. W. J. T. Miller, et. al., from Mecklenburg; argued by R. McBrayer and Smith & Strong for plaintiff, and W. J. Montgomery and Shipp & Bailey for defendants.

Marriage of Dr. Lewis and Miss Battle. Yesterday at 11:30 A. M., Dr. Richard II. Lewis, a native of this State, but at present a resident of Savannah, Ga., was united in marriage to Miss Nellie V. Battle, at the residence of her father, Hon. Kemp P. Battle, in this city. The marriage was in tableau, and the young couple were dressed in traveling suit, preparatory to starting upon the journey which they undertook shortly after the ceremony had been performed. About the hour indicated above, the folding doors were thrown open, revealing the interesting group—the cynosures of all eyes standing in the midst of their bridesmaids and groomsmen, who stood around them in semi-circle as follows:

S. S. Nash, Miss Mariah Alston, Charles McKimmon, MissR. B. Davis, G. M. Smedes, Miss Bessie Batchelor. Peter M. Wilson, Miss M. M. Skinner, Jos. D. Battle, Miss Mamie Cain.

Plummer Battle, Miss Eliza McKee,

The beautiful marriage service of the Episcopal Church was pronounced by Rev. Dr. M. M. Marshal, rector of Christ Church, and the bridal party, to gether with their guests, of whom there were a select few, and the family, then partook of an elegant collation, after which the bride and groom, took carriage, accompanied by their friends, and repaired to the depot, where they boarded the 12:30 Southern bound train. They go hence to Florida, where they will spend a month. After this they pay a visit to the mother of the groom, in Perquimans county, in this State, and then return to Raleigh.

The sincere good wishes of very many affectionate hearts, follow the young couple with tender solicitude, as they enter upon their united life.

Destructive Fire in smithfield--- Loss \$15,000 or \$20,000.

A destructive fire occurred yesterday morning in the little town of Smithfield, Johnston county, commencing about 9 o'clock, and in its course entailing a loss of \$15,000 or \$20,000 worth of property. The following named persons are the losers:

J. B. Alford, steam saw mill, cotton gin, press, &c. One work-shop, one dwelling, one barn and two store-houses. W. G. Yelvington, one store-house,

Mr. Lawrence, one store house and the old Smithfield Hotel, together with two two-story buildings adjoining, in one of which was the post office. John Thomas, colored, one store

house, dwelling house and a stable. S. R. Morgan, one barn.

The county jail was almost destroyed. The prisoners were removed yesterday afternoon to Goldsboro.

The fire originated in the lint in Alford's gin. It occasioned a great dear of commotion in the village, which, it was feared, at one time, would be almost entirely consumed. The smoke from the burning buildings could be plainly seen from the railroad,

The Jubilee Singers. To-night the New Orleans Jubilee Singers appear at Tucker Hall. We have every reason to believe that the t oupe is one of superior talent. Its m isic is said to be of the highest order of excellency and principally of that mo. t a tractive character of all music, the old n gro camp-meeting and plantation songs. It is very certain that few traveling com sanies bear with them such certificates as does this one, and the press in all the neighboring States have given them a reputation which should be peak for them a full house tonight. We hope to see the entertainthat none who attend will be disapDigests of the Supreme Court Decislons. Rendered at January Term.

A mortgagee with a power of sale, a a trustee: in the first place, to secure the payment of the debt secured by the mortgage; and in the second place, for the mortgagor, as to the excess. Allowing a mortgagee to foreclose the equity of redemption, by a sale made by himself, instead of a decree for for. closure under sale made under a decree of court, was yielded to after much hesitation; and then on the ground that in a plainer case, it would save the expense of a suit in equity. Kornegay and others

va Spicer. But when there are equities to be adjusted, or if there is any complication in the acount, showing the balance due, and the mortgagee had failed to demand payment of an ascertained balance, or when there are suggestions of oppression, usury and the like, the court would enjoin the mortgagee from settling; or if the sale had been made, the mortgagee would be required to account for the fund, and show that all things had been done with perfect fairness, and after the mortgagor had been notified of the balance due, and had been allowed a reasonable time to pay the same. (Coot

on mortgages, 124.) Ibid. Wards are not, but blows are a sufficient provocation to lesson the crime of homicide to that of manslaughter. State vs Carter. The prisoner went to the house of the deceased, and asked him if he had said that his (the prisoner's) sons had killed his hogs? And upon the deceased's admitting that he had said so, the prisoner shot at him with his gun; and missing him, ran after and to him, and stabbed him so that be died: Held that this was murder. Also that the weapons used. were in contemplation of law, deadly,

State vs. Carter. A warrant against a person duly elected, but refusing to act as constable for the penalty given by Bat. Rev. chap-111, sec. 21, reciting the statute and the facts bring the case within its purview, is sufficient and justifies a Magistrate to try and give judgment thereon London

vs. Headen. It is competent for the Legislature to require any person, appointed to office in any manner prescribed by law. to serve therein under pain of indictment, or any other penalty: Hence, chap. 111, sec. 21, Battle's Revisal, is

not unconstitutional. Ibil. The presumption that a parent intended the expenses of a child's education to be an absolute gift, will not be repelled by any declaration afterwards, of a wish that they shall be deemed an advancement, unless contained in a will legally executed. Bradsher vs. Canna-

Whether a gift is an advancement or not, depends on the intention of the parent, at the time the gift is made .-

When representations are made by one party to a contract, which may be reasonably relied on by the other, and these representations are false and fraudulent and cause injury and loss to the party relying on them, such party is entitled to relief. Hill and others vs.

The maxim of careat emptor does not apply in cases where this actual fraud.

Where, in the sale of land, the quanty represented is the inducement to the purchase, and fraud in the sale is alleged and found, it is not a proper ground for the abatement of the price. but it vitiates the whole contract, and is a sufficient ground for resending and setting aside the sale in toto. Ibid.

Municipal laws must be executed by the municipality itself, unless some statute provides expressly otherwise. The Legislature, in conferring corporate powers, have selected the depository of the powers intended to be exercised, and in doing so have by implication prohibited its exercise by any other agency. State vs. Threadgill.

An amended charter of a municipal corporations, ratified in 1874, reciting that the original charter was passed in 1825, is evidence of the existence of such original charter, but does not prove that the cerporation had peculiar powers in such original charter. Ibid.

The doctrine that a written contract cannot be contradicted, added to, or taken from, by parol evidence, does not apply to every writing : Hence, the following, executed by defendant; "For and in consideration of two hundred and ninety-eight dollars, I hereby transfer and assign to N. Beckwith, a certain judgment obtained by A. Wade the plaintiff against," &c., (describing the judgment.)

Signed. "A. Wade, by D. M. Carter, his attorney," is allowed to be explained by parol evidence, and the defendant to show, notwithstanding said paper, he never received any money from Beck-

with for Wade, Wader, Corter Where a clerk of the court, in proeeedings for partition, is appointed to sell the land, &c., it is presumed, nothing to the contrary clearly appearing, that he is acting in his official capacity, whether he is designated in the order as clerk or not. State and Cox v. Bloir.

When the amount due from an estate to the tenants in common is ascertained, an I the sum coming to each is merely a matter of computation, their rights of action are several. Ibid.

Where a plaintiff rented land of the defendant during 1874, not for a part of the crop, and there was no evidence that he agreed to pay any stipulated money rent, or any money rent at all, h ld that he could not recover one-third of the crop, in an action commenced before a division of the same; nor could he recover for the use of the premises, ment well attended, believing as we do, the demand being less than \$200, and within the jurisdiction of a magistrate. F. er. v. Perry.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

The Raleigh Stove House, 4 and 6 Hargett street, is the place to buy the best and cheapest cooking and heating stoves, hardware, carpenters tools, hoes, rakes, spades, shovels and pitch forks. Stamped tin ware lower than any place South. Paints, varnish, brushes, putty and glass. Tin roofing and painting roofs a specialty. Work done in any part of the Stat touthe low-Send for price list. Kerosene oil, Elam safety and "Pratt's Astral" oil a speciality, J. C. Brewster, proprietor.

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received. Lanterns, Lanterns, Lanterns.-A splendid assortment cheap. Also another lot of the La Bastie glass lamp chimneys that won't break by any ordinary means, and a large lot of house furnishing goods, cheaper than ever, at Lumsden's. Fayetteville street, opposite

By Telegraph.

NOON DISPATCHES.

French Politics--Uneasiness in Financial Circles Over Eastern Af-

Paris. Feb. 13.-It is reported that the Duke D. Cazes will resign the ministry of foreign affairs and go as am-

grade dispatch reports that M. Christis is appointed envoy to Constantinople and empowered to sign a treaty of peace, Servia having accepted all the Turkish conditions except those referring to the treatment of the Jews and residence of the Turkish Commissary at Belgrade. A dispatch from Rome reports the Pope much displeased at the reply of

the stock exchange and the Paris bourse n consequence of the uncertainty of Eastern affairs is intensified by various a verse rumors that Bussia will precipitate a conflict, that negotiations with oing in international stocks, and th tone of the general market is flat.

and his position is regarded as endar heretofore. I cannot say that it is now at all improbable in that event that Jule Simon will become Foreign Minister This change or any disturbance of the cabinet at this time would be little

The High Commission-Congress-Corbin Knocking at the Door. Washington, Feb. 13.—The commission met at 11. Clifford announced two hours for each side and that the commission was ready to hear the objection to the Hayes certificates. Senator Me-Donald opened, claiming that said electors were not legally elected, quoting the statute of Louisiana showing two sets of electoral laws. Whether one law should repeal the other or whether they should run together, the pro-ceedings of the Louisiana Returning

House .- Journal of Thursday, February 1st, was read to-day and the regular daily order resumed at 12 o'clock. The Texas Pacific Railroad may be taken up next Monday by a

two-thirds vote and assigned a day as no other legislation of particular importance is pending. eges are examining testimony regard-

ing Brewster's resignation. SENATE .- Mr. Patterson, of South Carolina, presented the credentials of D. T. Corbin, claiming to have been elected United States Senator from the State of South Carolina for the term of six years from March 4th, 1877. credentials were signed by D. H. Chamberlain, as Governor of South Carolina. They were read and placed on file, no

LATER. strong case and appparently a strong impression on the court. There is no expressions of confidence by either side. Each side asks the other, "Do you give it up?" and each answers "No."

Freight Agents in Council. NEW YORK, Jan. 13 .- A Chicago des-

patch says a very important meeting of general freight agents of trunk railroads was held there yesterday. tepresentatives were present from the Baltimore & Ohio; Michigan Central; Pittsburg & Fort Wayne; Pittsburg, Cincinnati & St. Louis, and the Grand Frunk. The meeting was called to settle the complications which have arisen regarding the rate on foreign freight; that is to adopt a plan for insuring uniform rates in cometition for traffic destined to European ports. The following tariff was agreed upon: From Chicago to Liverpool, wheat 25 cents, corn 50 cents, provisions, 60 cents, flour 1.24. From Chicago to London-provisions, 72 cents, flour. 7.33. From Chicago to Glascow—wheat, 34 cents, corn, 56 cents, provisons, 72 cents, flour, 1.42. From Chiergo to Bremen-provisions, 88 ments, From Chicago to Antwerp-wheat, 68 cents, corn, 69 cents, provisions, 83 cents, flour, 1.55. The rate from Milw. ukee to the same ports will be 2 cents higher in gold than the tariff from this city. Flour will be charged for by the of all who try it.

barrel, and other freights by the 100 pounds. While the plan adopted admits of but one uniform rate on all export freights, the trunk lines are left free to make any inland rate they please so long as it does not conflict with the agreed tariff to European points. This arrangement goes into effect to-morrow, and as an experiment will remain in force during this week at least, and for a much longer time if it be made agreeable to all parties. It is a part of the agreement that general freight agents shall meet every Saturday and revise. or, if necessary, revoke the new schedule, and at the meeting in New York on the 27th inst., the plan will be finally

Robbery and Murder. AUGUSTA. Feb. 12 .- On Saturday night H. J. Raiser, a merchant of Sparta was waylaid while going home from his store, struck with a slung-shot and robbed of one hundred dollars and

approved or disapproved by the eastern

NIGHT DISPATCHES. GEORGIA.

Taking Steps to Fund Her Railroad Indebtedness. ATLANTA, Feb. 13,-The House of Representatives passed the bill this morning to fund the railroad bonds eudorsed by the State. The bill authorizes the issue of bonds of the State of Georgia amounting to \$2,298,397,00, for the purpose of retiring by exchange, or paying of the recognized bonds of the Macon & Brunswick Railroad, the amount of \$1,950,000,00; the bonds of the North and South Railroad to the am unt of \$240,000.00, and the bo d of the Memphis Brailroad to the amount of \$34,000. Also to fund the interest on these bonds to the first day of January, 1877, to the amount of \$74,397,000. The object of this bill is to fund all the endorsed railroad bonds

of the State in six per cent. The per cent. straight bonds of the State, new bonds, shall be sold for not less than par and the proceeds shall be applied to redeem at par all the endorsed railroad bonds. These bonds have twelve years to run with interest payable semi-annually. The bill will pass the Senate. Holders of the endorsed bonds, it has been reported here, will prefer the new sixes to the endorsed railroad sevens.

WASHINGTON,

Confirmations and Nominations -- Personals -- Testimony About Brewster --turning Board .- Naval Changes.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.—CONFIRMA-TION .- R. P. Lucky, formorly the President's Private Secretary, Secretary of the territory of Utah: J. R. G. P.tken. Marshal of Louisiana; Millner, Postmaster at Newman, Ga. Real Admiral Goldsborough is sick.

Secretary Cameron and General She: man have gone to New York. NOMINATIONS:-Andrew A. Warfield. Collector of Customs at Alexandria, Va. R. C. Kerr, Register of Land at Jack-

Morrill and Cameron are absent from the cabinet. Nothing important done, Committee on Powers and Privileges: John Stiles, clerk in the Interior office, oduced a letter from Brewster, dated November 4th, to the President, resigning his office, to take effect that day, and a letter from Chandler, dated November 16th, accepting the resignation to take effect November 4th; also a let-ter from Brewster, dated December 19th,

Randolph county. asking to be reinstated. Secretary Chandler will be examined Maddox's character is under fire. A

half dozen testify as to his integrity. James Pelleter, of New Orleans, before the committee on powers and privleges, testified that he was a waiter at a restaurant where on Sunday December 3d, the members and clerks of the returning board dined. He overheard a conversation between Wells, Anderson and Littlefield. Heard Wells say, in reply to a question of Littlefield that no matter if Tilden has a hundred thousand majority in the State, the vote would be given to Hayes, and that he (Wells) did not care what would become of the State. By direction of the President, Col. G. W. Getty, of the thi dartillery, is ordered to relieve Col. Barry, of the

The wisest of men, the strongest of

men, cannot make the false true. No

false god should be set up. Solomon set

up a false god to his cost. If you at-tempt to blind the eyes of this mighty

nation, your edict will be read, for his

tory will know the truth and record it.

No; we want to clear out all this pol-

lution; to purge the nation of the dis-

Mr. Hurlbert, one of the objectors to

grace of the fraudulent act of this vilo

certificate number two, the Tilden pa:

pers, after briefly reviewing the history

to give certificates to men who claim to

have been elected Tilden electors. Mr,

Hurlbert read one of the certificates to

show its peculiar phraseology, that Mr.

Enery did not sign himself as Governor,

and did not me t'e great seal of the

State. He 1 ad no real authority, nor did

he have any omee. The fact being settled

that Kellogg is the only lawful executive

of Louisian, he would ask the com-

mission whether they had the right or

the time to investigate the election in

Howe followed Hurlbert on the same

Commission adjourned at 6 o'clack.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13 .- " Mahoney's

Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.-Indications:

Use Isaac N. Link's Durham smoking

tobacco, because it becomes the favorite

returning board."

that State

second artillery, of the command at tame bears that are turned loose to play Fort Monroe, Va., and the artillery afternoon. school at that point. Barry, on being relieved, will return to his regiment, THE HIGH COMMISSION.

streets. Arguments by Jenks, Hurlbert and Howe-The Commission Adjourns Without a Decision. WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.-Mr. Jenks concluded by asking the commission to jet the truth shine upon the whole transaction. "If you do," said he, "there can be but one single result.

Three dwelling houses were burned furniture was also consumed.

from his editorial connection with the Wilson Express, and that paper will

at Hendersonville a few days ago, during the trial of a number of persons for

of Louisiana for several years since, claimed that the Kellogg government A residence and store-house in Wilhas been officially recognized by the President of the United States and by mington, the property of C. Jackson, was destroyed by fire last Friday mornboth houses of Congress, John McEnin;. Loss \$1,200; insured for \$700. ery had not attempted to exercise the The work of an incendiary, functions of Governor since 1874, and yet he now comes forward and attempts

Says the Charlotte Observer of the 13th inst:

under date of the 11th says: Mr. Mark Ritch finished his thirtieth bird this afternoon at 2 o'clock, in the presence of half a dozen witnesses. This settles the vexed bird question as he has actually eaten a quail a day for thirty suc cessive days. There were never less than three witnesses present each day, the names of the witnesses being taken down and filed away. The first bird was eaten stewed, the next fifteen broiled and the remaining fourteen fried. All the bir is were eaten cold and were killed twenty-four hours beforehand.

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CONGRESSIONAL.

Stirring Speech from Purman, of Fiorida-Removal of Disabilities-Ordered in Arrest for Refusing to Show Bank &ccount, &c.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13.-The House was engaged all day in debate on the report of the Florida investigating committee; the majority report declaring the Tilden electors to have been duly elected, and the minority the Hayes electors. There was but little interest felt in the debate until Purman of Florida rose and after censuring his party associates in the North for thei ndiffer ence they had shown to the result of the election in the South, and for the blurder they had made in refusing to admit Pinchback into the United States Serate as a Senator from Louisiana, he declared that, though a staunch Repub' can, he felt it his duty to say that the Tilden electors had been duly elected in Florida, and he characterized the canvassing board of that State as a bold, unscrupulous, fraudulent body. The speech elicited much applause from the Democrats who gathered around him and paid close attention to his remarks.

With the understanding that a vote should be taken to-morrow upon the resolutions of the committee, the House took a recess until ten o'clock, A. M., to-morrow.

SENATE.—The political disabilities of

Renben Davis were removed. The arrest of Conrad A. Jourdan was ordered for refusing to produce Tilden's, Pelton's and Hewitt's bank accounts. Executive session. Adjourned.

F REIGN.

Earl Derby's Expination of the Ex-

tradition Controversy. LONDON, Fcb. 13 .- In the House of Lords, Lord Derby, foreign secretary, in reply to a question by Earl Granville, gave the details regarding the extradi-tion controversy. He said the difficulty arose because America intimated that she would try Lawrence, who was extradited for another offence than the one named under treaty, if th first failed. America communicated in August, that she never intended to try Lawrence for a second offence. The British Gevernment, therefore, while maintaining the construction it adopted, felt that there was no reason for longer suspending the op-

erations of the treaty.

The surrender of Brent, the Louisville forger, was unconditional, because conditions were not required. Arrangements continuing as before the negotiations, are now pending for a new treaty,

MASSACHUSETTS.

Strike of Engineers -- Schooner Supposed to be lost.

Boston, Feb. 13.-The engineers' strike on the Boston and Maine Railroad continues. Trains run through but are behind. The strikers are buying off the new hands, in some cases paying as high as \$500, The schooner John A. Crocker, Ho-

boken for Providence, with coal, is supposed to be lost, with all aboard.

NORTH CAROLINA.

Steps are being taken to organize a and of trade for Charlotte.

A young lady from Jackson, N. C., broke thirteen young men's hearts, in Murfreesborough, last week.

Columbias Keerans killed six wild turkeys at one shot, one day last week, in There is talk in Charlotte of reorgan-

izing the "Charlotte Grays" military Hon. M. A. Barnhardt died at his resdence near Lenoir, Caldwell county on

Mr. Ritch says he is willing to bet 1,000 he can eat a quail a day for 365 lays in succession.

The friends of Col. Wm. Johnston, of Charlotte, are urging his claims to the presidency of the Western North Carlina Railroad.

Several petrified muscle shells have been dug twenty feet below the surface of the ground, on the river below Wilmington. The soldiers at Morganton have two

about the Court-yard for an hour every The town authorities of Ashboro have undertaken the commendable enterprise of repairing the sidewalks of their

A few days ago some rogue stole a barber's striped pole in Wilmington, and now we hear of a canary bird and cage being stolen there, from a Mrs.

in Wilmington on Saturday morningall of them partially insured. In one of them-that of Mr. S. F. Wolcott, the Capt. E. C. Woodson has withdrawn

henceforth be run by Messrs, Ellis and Newman. The New North State learns that two Deputy Marshals were shot and killed

illicit distilling.

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The reco ts were ver small and trices

wi hout change. The New York market is

reported steady, there being no alteration in

he quotation for sacts and fractional varia-

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FLOUR, family, North Carolina, 85.
MEAT, tear Rib Buik Sides, 1914.
PORK, N. C. 81439.
LARD, Western, 15.
COFFEE, 1 to, 29, 2314a25.
SUGAR, white, 1214a14.
" vellow, 194a1214.
SALT, 1 iverpool, fine, 32, 55.
LEATHER, N. C., 29a25.
BUTTER, N. C., 29a25.
BERSWAX, 29a25.
EGGS, per dozen, 15a29.
RAGS, 244.

0ATS, shelled, 60a65.

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12 00 to 15 00 25 00 to 40 00 45 00, 50 00, 75 00

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TELEGRAPHIC MARKETS.

YOON.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 13.-Middling uplands 63/

middling Orleans 6 15-16; sa'es 10,000; specula

tion and exports 1000; receipts 32 000. Ameri

can 11,500. Futures 1-32 dearer, uplands and

low middlings clause; February and March

delivery 6 11-16: March and Apr 16 25 32: April

and May 6 7-8a29 32; May and June 6 15-16;

July and August 7 1-16; May and June 6 31-32;

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.-Stocks active, unset-

led and lower; Money 3; Gold 536; Exchange

long 484%; short 486; Governments active

lower and unsettled: State bonds dull, steady

BALTIMORE, Feb. 13.-Flour steady and

firm; Howard street and western super 5.00a-

super 4.15a5.25; extra 9,00a9.26; Rio brands

7.62a:5; family brands 9.00. Wheat inactive:

Pennsylvania red 1.56a8; midland red p ime

1.56a8; amber 1.60; white 1.50a5. Southern

corn fairly active and firmer: western fairly

NIGHT.

NEW YORK, Feb. 13.-Money easy 21/4; Ster-

ling exchange steady; Gold 51/2; Government

Cotton dull and easier; uplands 12%; Or.

leans 13; sales of 329 bales; consolidated net

receipts 68 324; exports to Great Britain 54,986;

Putures closed steady, sales 50,000: Febru-

ary 12 23-32a34: March 12 29 32a15-16: April 13

1615-32; May 135-16a11-32; June 13 15-32a1/4; July

13 19-32a5; Augu3t 13 21-32a11-16; September

13 11-32a13-32 : October 12 21-32a13 : November

Flour-little more coag; mainly in city

m lls for exports to West Indihs-otherwise

quiet; southern flour unchanged. When

demand I ght without change, market closing

-spring-held higher, but quiet; winter

grades dull. Corn-new-1/2e. lower, moder-

te export and home trade inqui y; old, nom-

ve.low southern-on do k-58, Coffee and

sugar quiet, but unchanged; refined, in fair

demand at 1114. Took dull and a shade

lower. Lard closed heavy; 11.15 bid for prime

steam. Whishy firmer at 8. Freights to

Norroi K, Feb. 13 .- Cotton quiet and steady-

mi cling 121/4; net receipts, 2,530; sales 700;

BALTIMORE, Feb. 13.-Cotton quiet-mid

Oats and rye steady. Provisions quiet and

steady. Coffee-firmly held. Whisky dull at

WILMINGTON, Feb. 13.-Cotton dull and

SAVANNAH, Feb. 13.-Cotton quiet; middling

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 13.-Very little doing

middling 1214; low middling 1134; net rece pts

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An index of the cases decided in the Sr-premer court of North Carolina, which have been overruled, modified. limited, exp ained, &c., in pamphlet form, by WALTER CLARK, Attorney at law.

VALUABLE BOOK

nominal, middlings 12; net receipts 315.

12,883; gross receipts 14,046; sales 200.

1258; net receipts 560; sales 500.

d'ing 12%; gross receipt 235; sales 220; spin-

export to heat or tain 1990; coastwise 3048.

Liverpool quiet.

. Sugar quiet.

ners 370.

i.ial at 54a55; ungraded weste.n mixed 5

12 23-32a25-32 : Decemi er 12 23-32a25-32.

France 9,692; Continent 5,8:6; Channel 1,315.

securities active and steady ; New 5's 1014.

active and steady; southern white 48a16,

shipped, January and February sail 6 13-16.

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Consols 95 7-16.

Parts. Feb. 13 .- Rents 105a9.

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RALEIGH, N. C., Feb, 13, 18:7.

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Montenegro are suspended, etc., none of which are traceable. No business is The correspondent of the Standard at Paris telegraphs; "There is a coalition in the Chambers of Deputies against Duke DeCazes, Minister of Foreign Affairs, gered. It is reported that he will shortly exchange his present post for the St. Petersburg embassy though this report has been several times circulated

short of a public calamity.'

Board were alike irregular and unlaw

The committee on Powers and Privi-

objection being made to their reception. McDonald and Jenks are making a change in the situation as indicated by

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